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SECURITY INFORMATION

*Subject*  
LS-1382  
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ATTENTION: **Personnel Relations**  
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**Office of General Counsel**

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27 May 1952

**Naval Warrant Officer Retiring for Longevity**

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1. Reference is made to the attached memorandum to Mr. [redacted] concerning the retirement of [redacted] and subsequent conversations between yourself and the writer. Your understanding of the courses of action available to [redacted] is correct.

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2. A commissioned warrant officer is considered an officer for purposes of the dual compensation and dual office-holding prohibitions. Even if Agency policy permitted employment under P. L. 53., [redacted] in that event, would be forced to elect between his retirement pay and his CIA salary. However, retired enlisted personnel may be employed by the Agency without restrictions concerning dual compensation or dual office-holding and may continue to receive both their enlisted retirement pay and CIA salary. Thus, if subject retires as an enlisted man, his Agency employment would not be affected.

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**Enclosures:**

Memo fr Lt. Tomlinson [redacted], 19 March 52

Memo fr [redacted], 19 March 52

Memo fr Off. of Commo., Admin. Staff, to PD(C), Att. [redacted]

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